Topic: Fantasy stories

1.- Read the following text. Underline the sentences that means: *"El fantasma intenta asustar a la familia"*

The Canterville Ghost

Oscar Wilde was a British-Irish writer. He was famous because of his great talent to write fantasy stories, tales and novels. Moreover, he wrote some poems inspired by Shakespeare's work. He also worked as a journalist for some newspapers in the 1890s. He was popular because he had a unique way of dressing and thinking.

One of his most famous tales is "The Canterville Ghost". This story is a tale that talks about a ghost who lives in a castle in Caterville, England.

An American family – mother, father, a daughter and two twin boys– buys the castle, and they ignore the warnings that the ghost of Lord Canterville walks in the castle with chains on his feet. This lord killed his wife three hundred years ago, and his spirit couldn't leave the castle. The ghost tries to scare the family, but the children of the house joke about him. Virginia, who is the youngest, helps Lord Canterville find peace for his soul. In the end, the ghost could find peace after his death, and the family lives in the castle for many years.

2.-Read the article again. Complete the sentence with one word from the box.

lady - chains - clothes - boys - poet - spirit

a. Another great _____inspired Oscar Wilde's tales.

b. Wilde was also famous because he used unusual _____.

c. The Canterville Ghost is a story about a _____ who lived in an old castle.

d. The ghost had _____ .

e. Two little _____ weren't afraid of the ghost.

f. A young _____ helped the ghost.

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3.-Read the article again. Answer the questions.

a. How many people lived in the castle?

- In the caste lived four people.
- In the caste lived five people.

b. Why was the spirit in the castle?

- Because the spirit killed his wife three hundred years ago.
- Because the spirit couldn´t scare the family.

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